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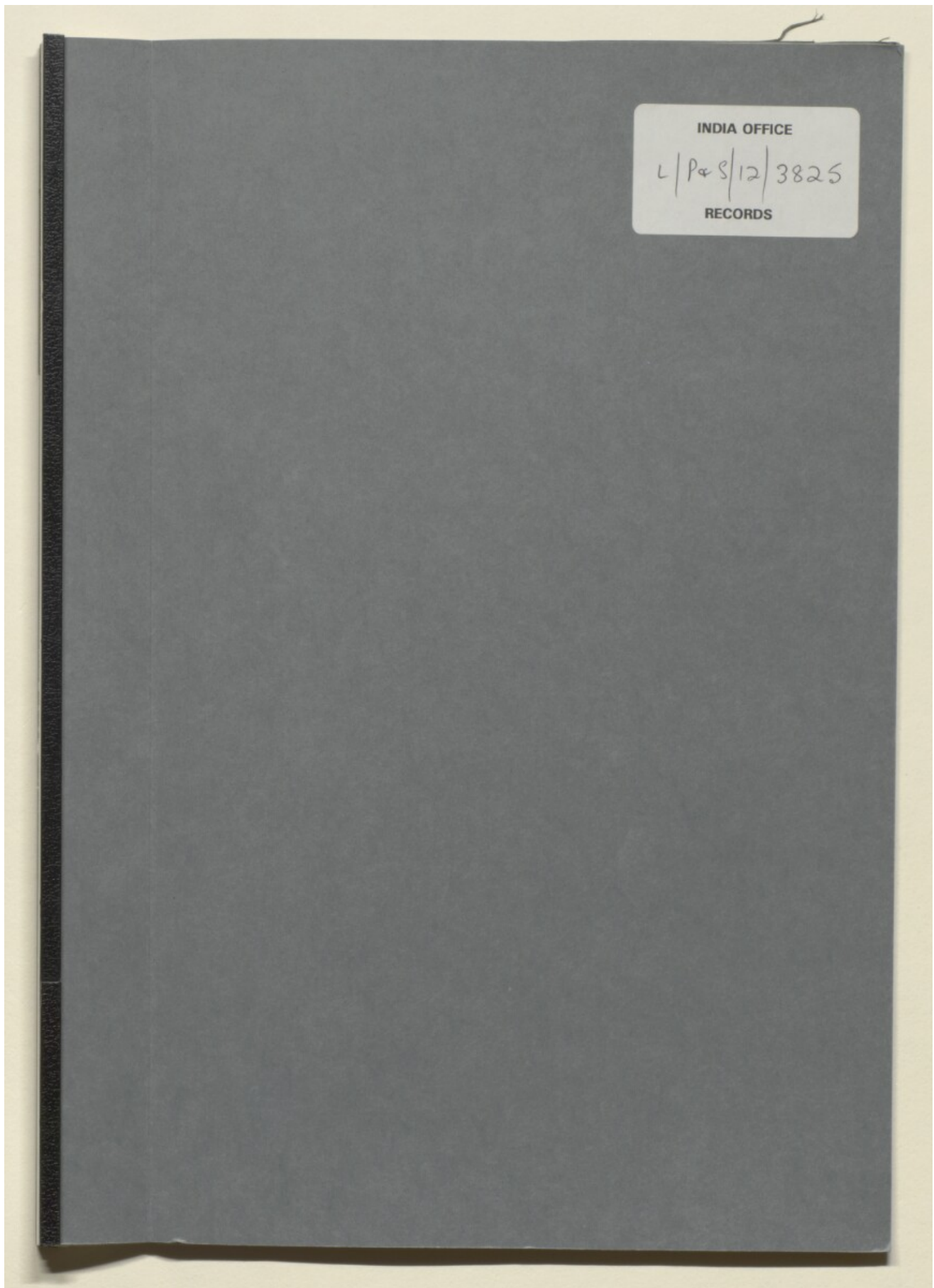
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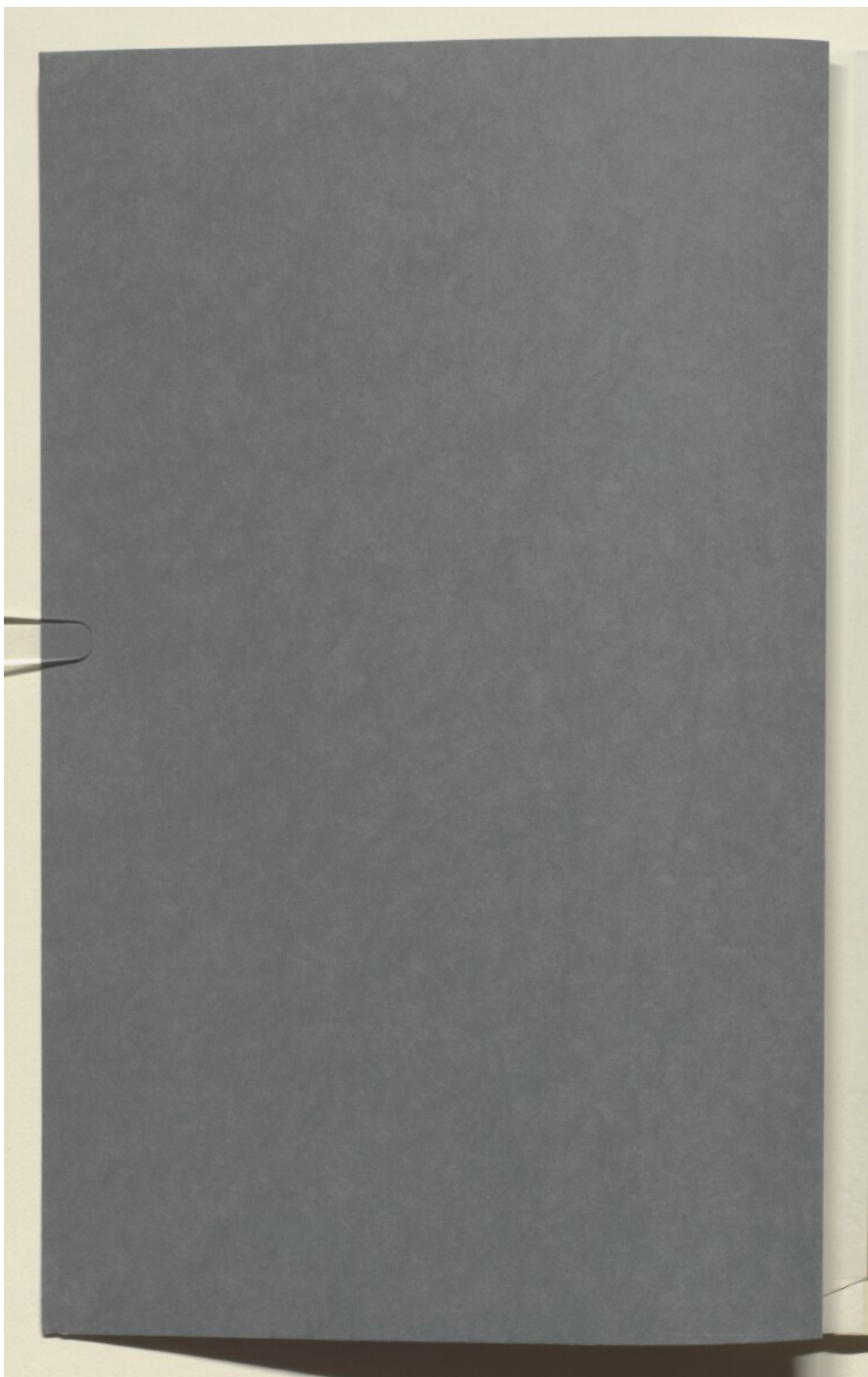
About this record

The file concerns a proposal by the Kuwait Oil Company to recruit an American nurse in the United States for service to the American and European staff of the Company in Kuwait. The issue arose because the Company had up until that point been dependent for medical and hospital facilities on the American Mission in Kuwait, but this arrangement was deemed to be unsuitable in view of the prospective increase in the Company's staff.

The papers show that the India Office and the Political Resident in the Persian Gulf concurred in the proposal to recruit an extra nurse.

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POLITICAL (EXTERNAL) DEPARTMENT
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GENERAL HEADING { Persian Gulf.
Koweit.

SUB-HEAD { Medical facilities for non-
Asiatic staff in Kuwait of
Kuwait Oil Co.

Notes: Coll. ³⁰/₁₀₄ ① :- Personnel of Kuwait Oil Co.
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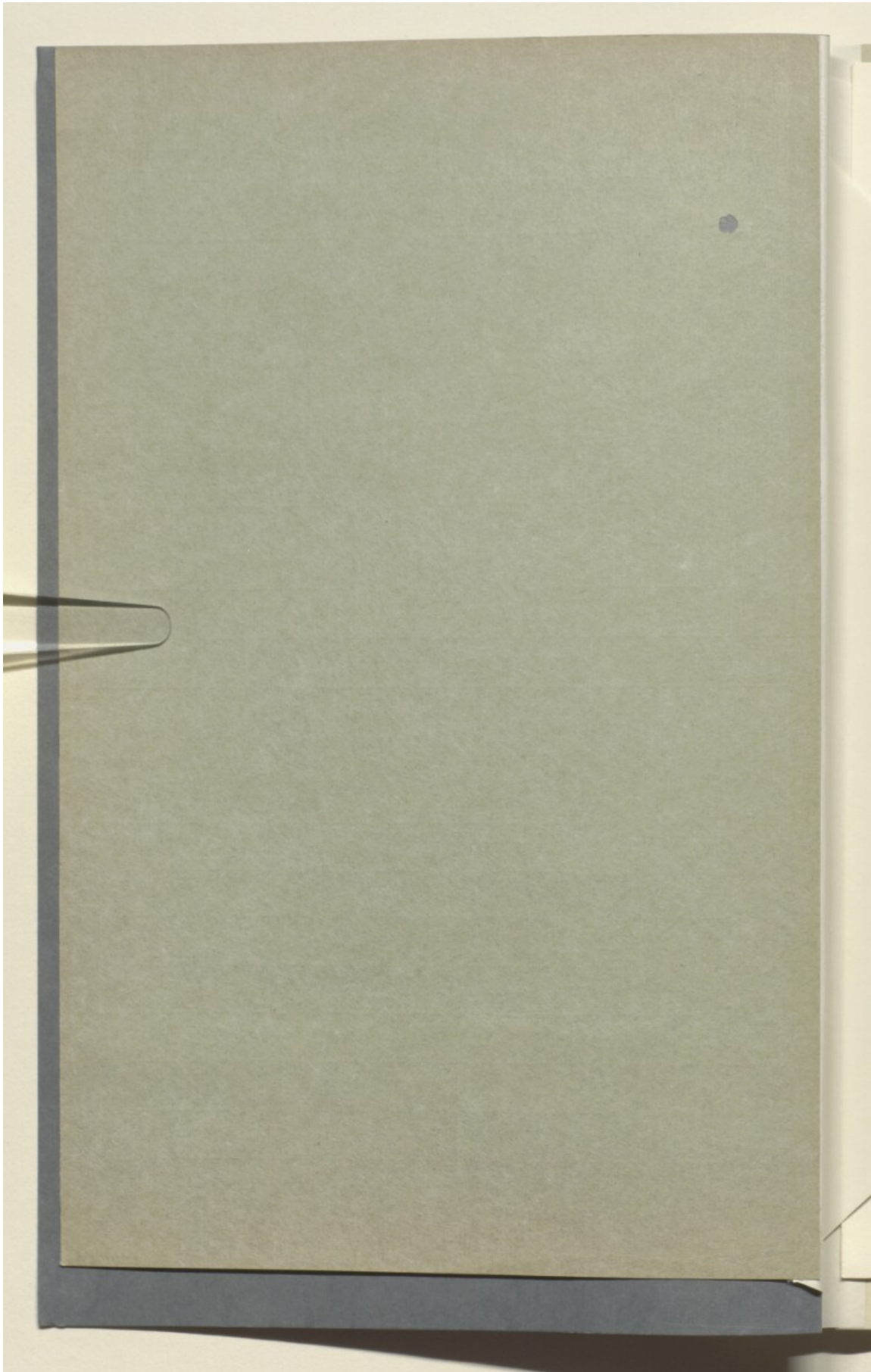
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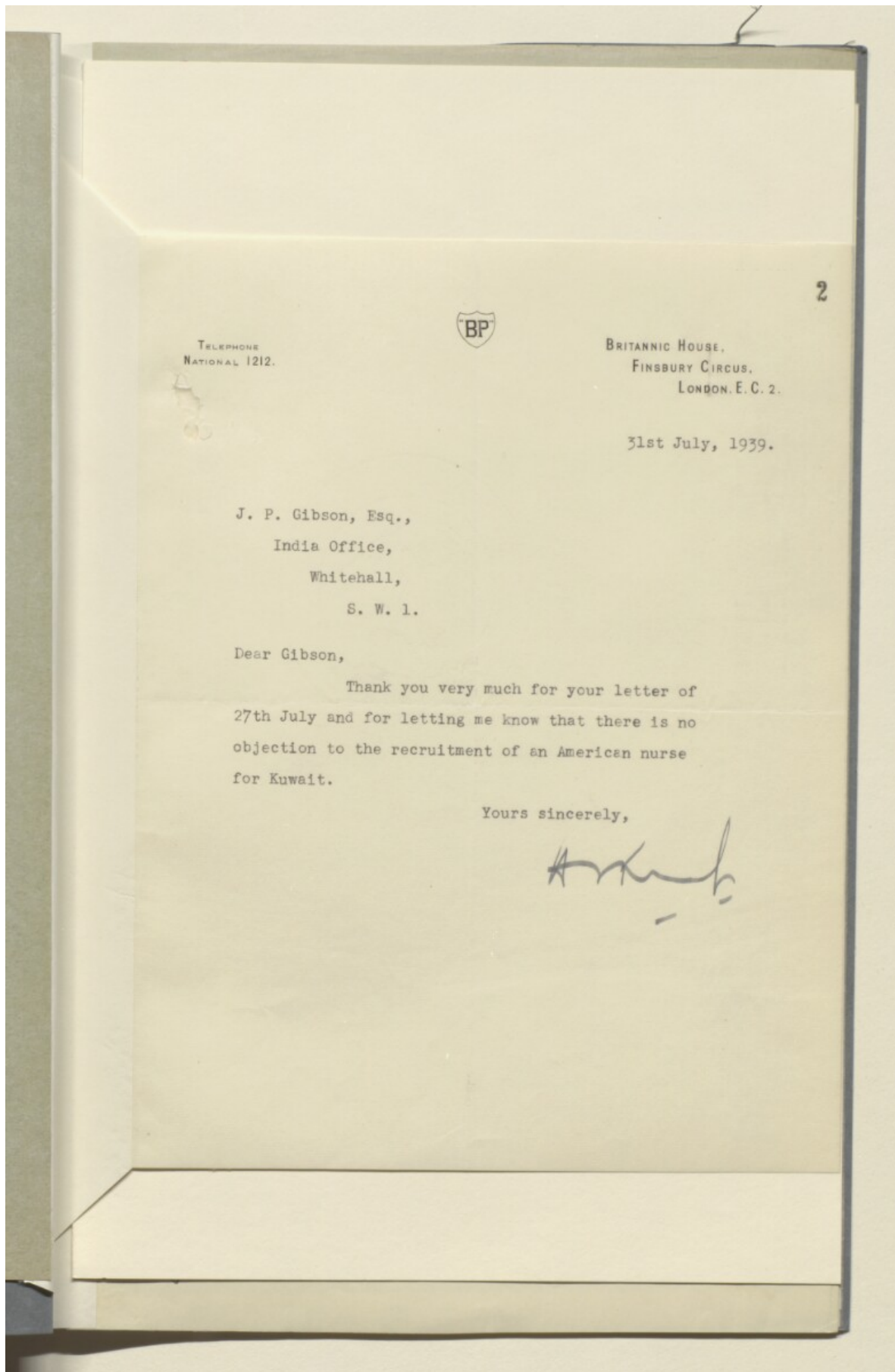
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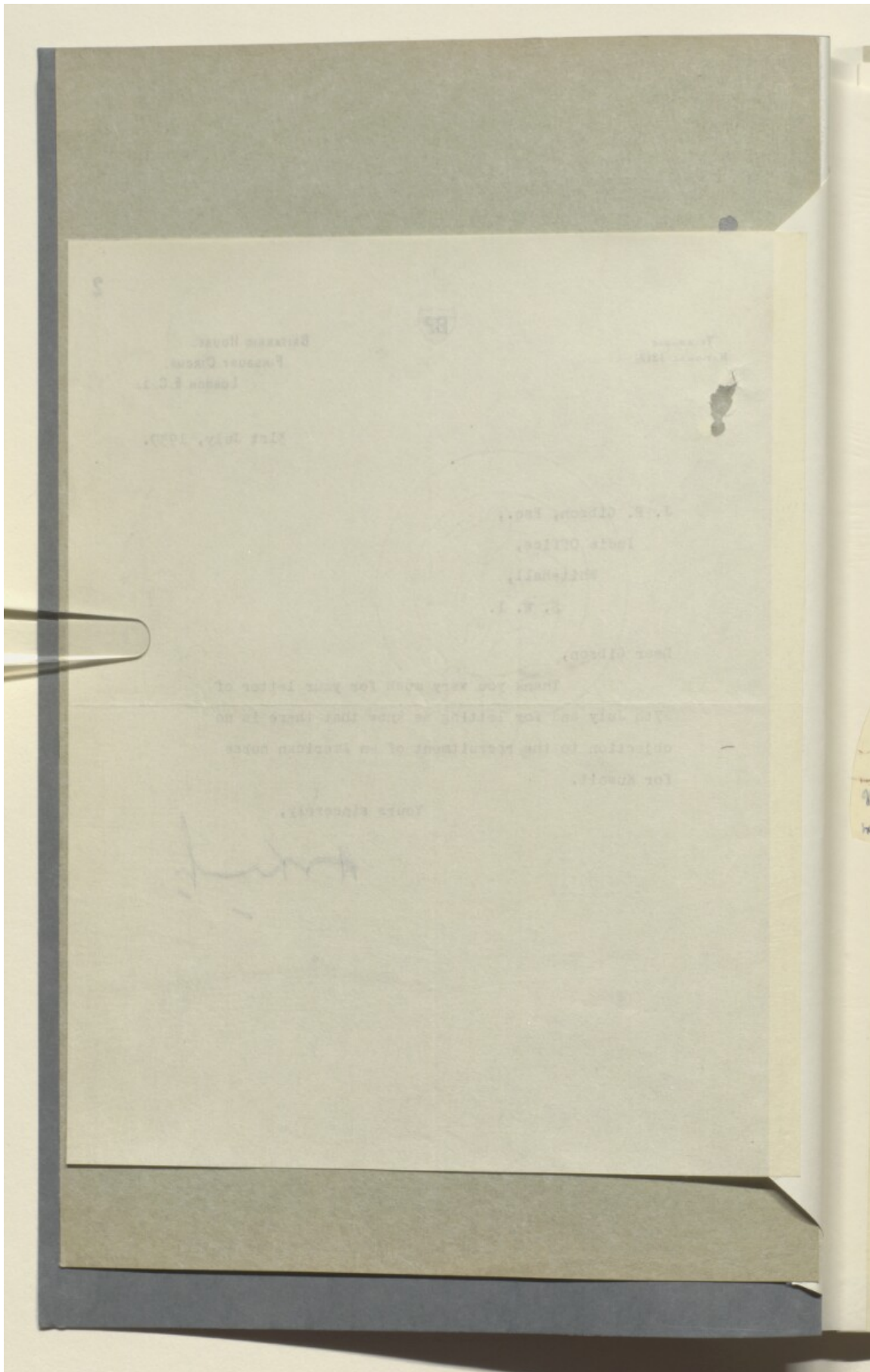
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Dear Kump,

27 JUL 1939

In continuation of my
letter of 15th June (P.L. 3631) about your
plans for the provision of medical
facilities in Kuwait for your
Asiatic staff I ~~am now able to let you~~
~~write to say that you~~
know that the Political Resident ~~and~~
~~have now heard from the Gulf States~~
~~authorities that have no objection to the~~
recruitment of an American nurse as
proposed by the Company. We shall therefore
be glad to ~~give you~~ ~~help should you~~
~~need~~ support your application to H.M.G.
for permission for the nurse to go to
Kuwait and for a passport visa.

~~Yrs sincerely~~

The question of a visa will therefore present no difficulty, at any rate so far as the French authorities are concerned.

Ye friends

(Sgt.) J. R. GISSON

Should we send a note at once to the Passport
Office indicating that this application may be
submitted?

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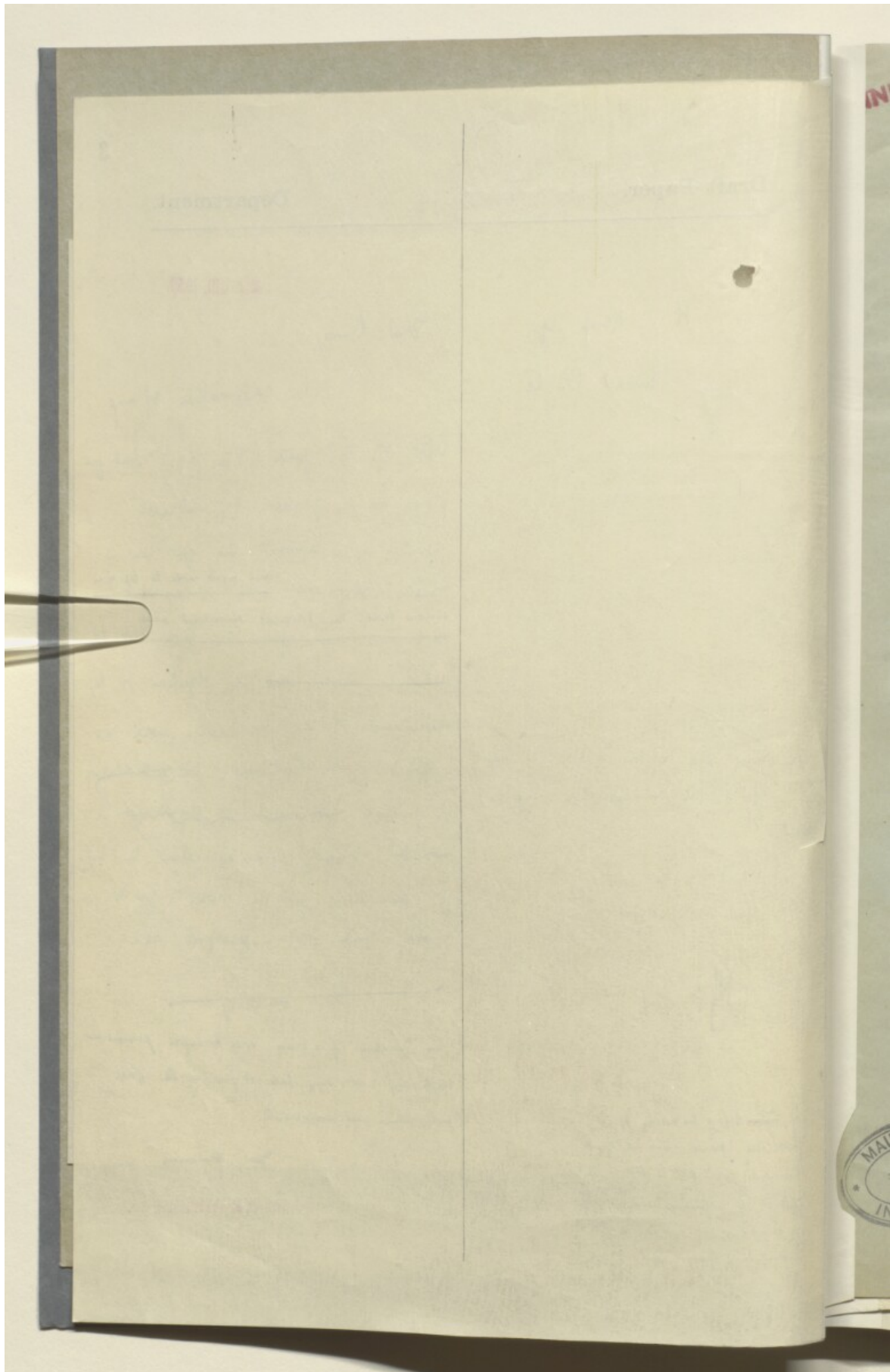
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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA. **Department.**

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EXPRESS LETTER (AIR MAIL).

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No. 612-S **Bushire,**

Dated ~~XXXX~~ the 7th July 1939.

To - His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, London. ✓

Repeated The Secretary to the Government of India
in the External Affairs Department, Simla.

Political Agent, Kuwait.

Reference your
my

Subject: Provisional arrangements for
medical facilities for the
non-Asiatic staff of the Kuwait
Oil Company in Kuwait.

Reference India Office Express Letter No.P.Z.3631/39
dated the 15th June 1939, with enclosures.

2. I see no objection to the recruitment of an American
nurse as proposed by the Company.

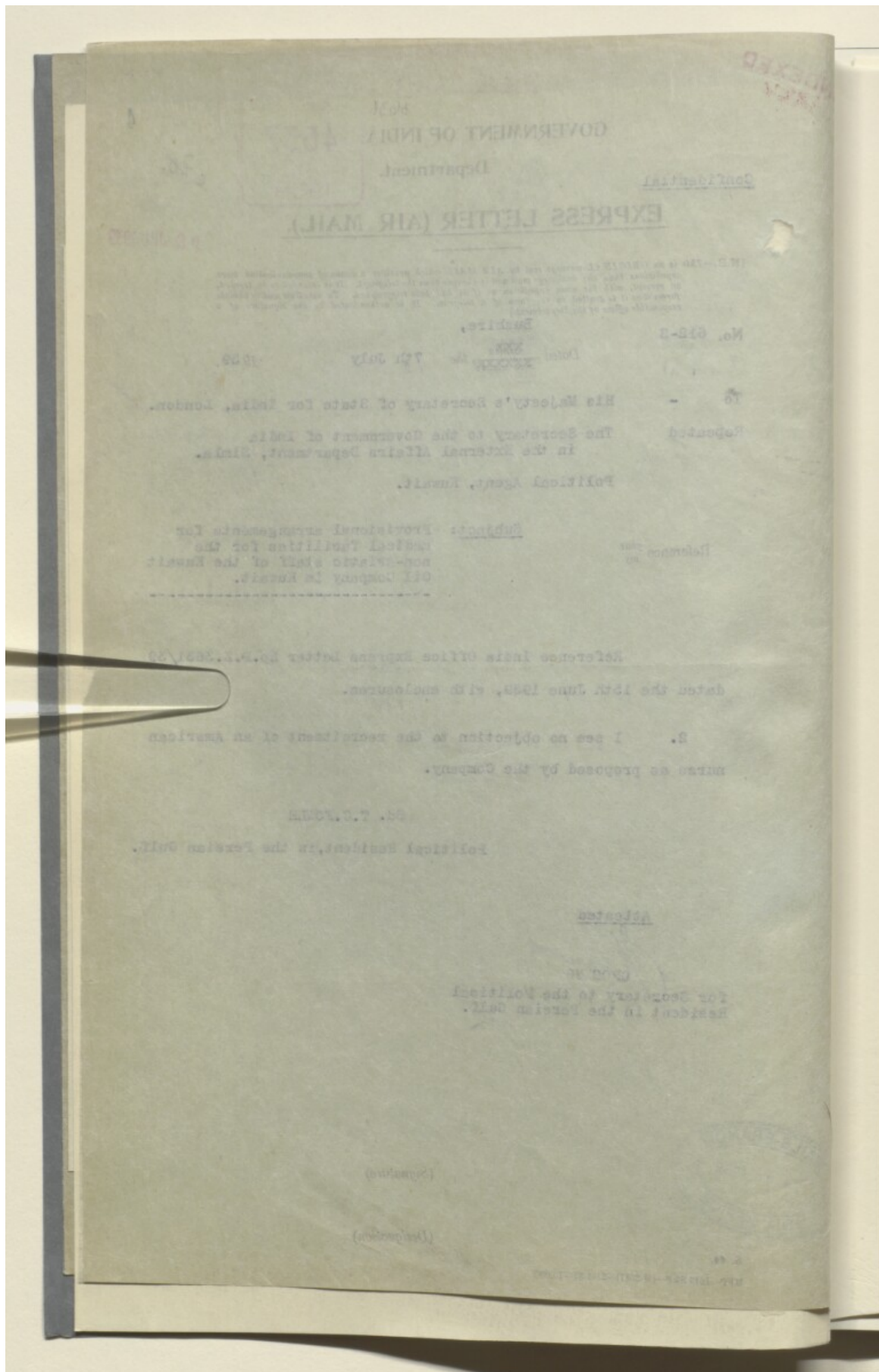
Sd. T.C.FOWLE
Political Resident, in the Persian Gulf.

Attested
[Signature]
for Secretary to the Political
Resident in the Persian Gulf.

MAILS BRANCH
24 JUL 1939
INDIA OFFICE

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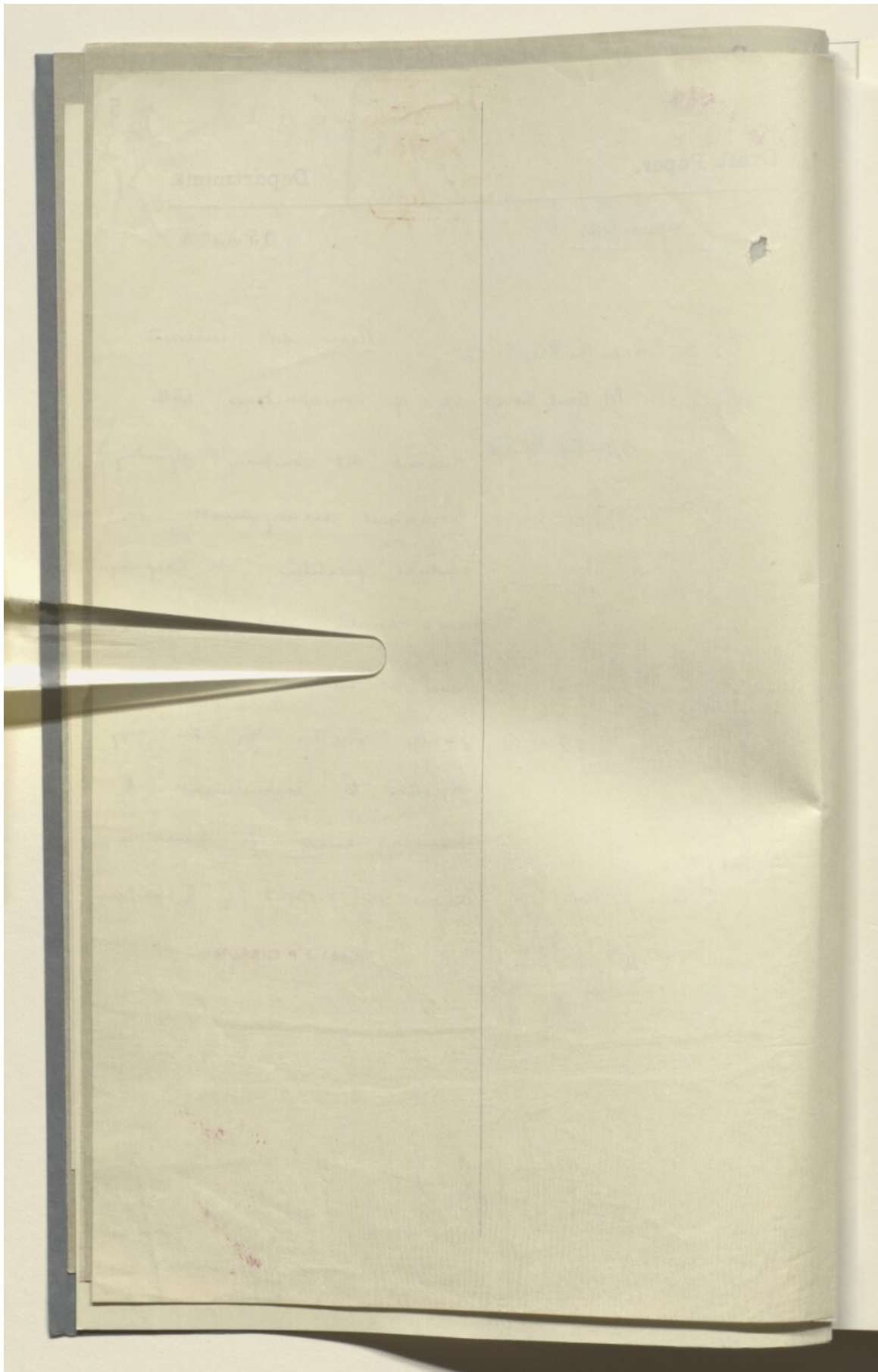
Please see enclosed
copy of correspondence with
Kuwait Oil Company regarding
provisional arrangements for
medical facilities for Company's
non-Asiatic staff in Kuwait.
Please let me know as soon as
possible whether you see any
objection to recruitment of
American nurses for service in
Kuwait as proposed by the Company

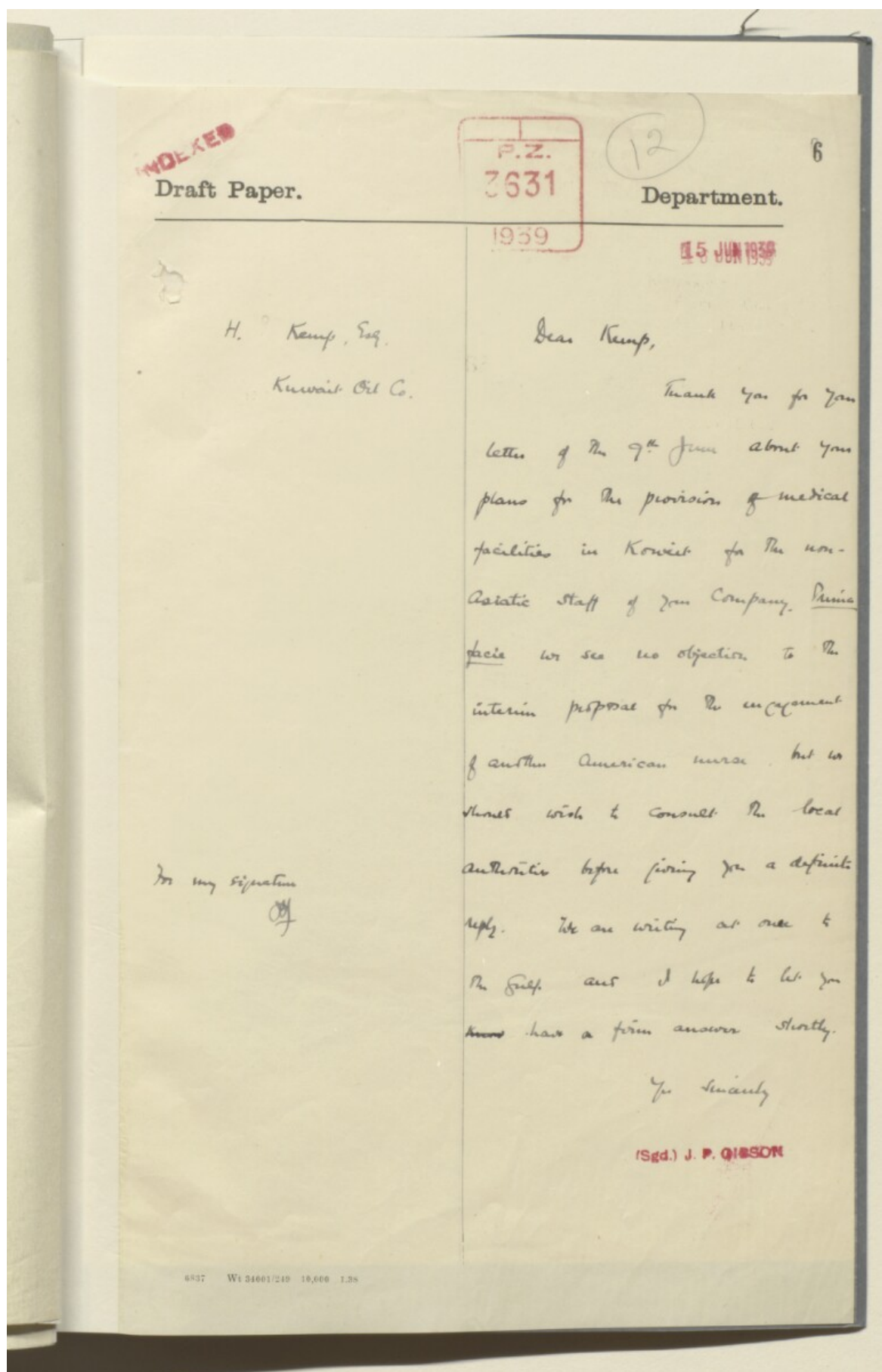
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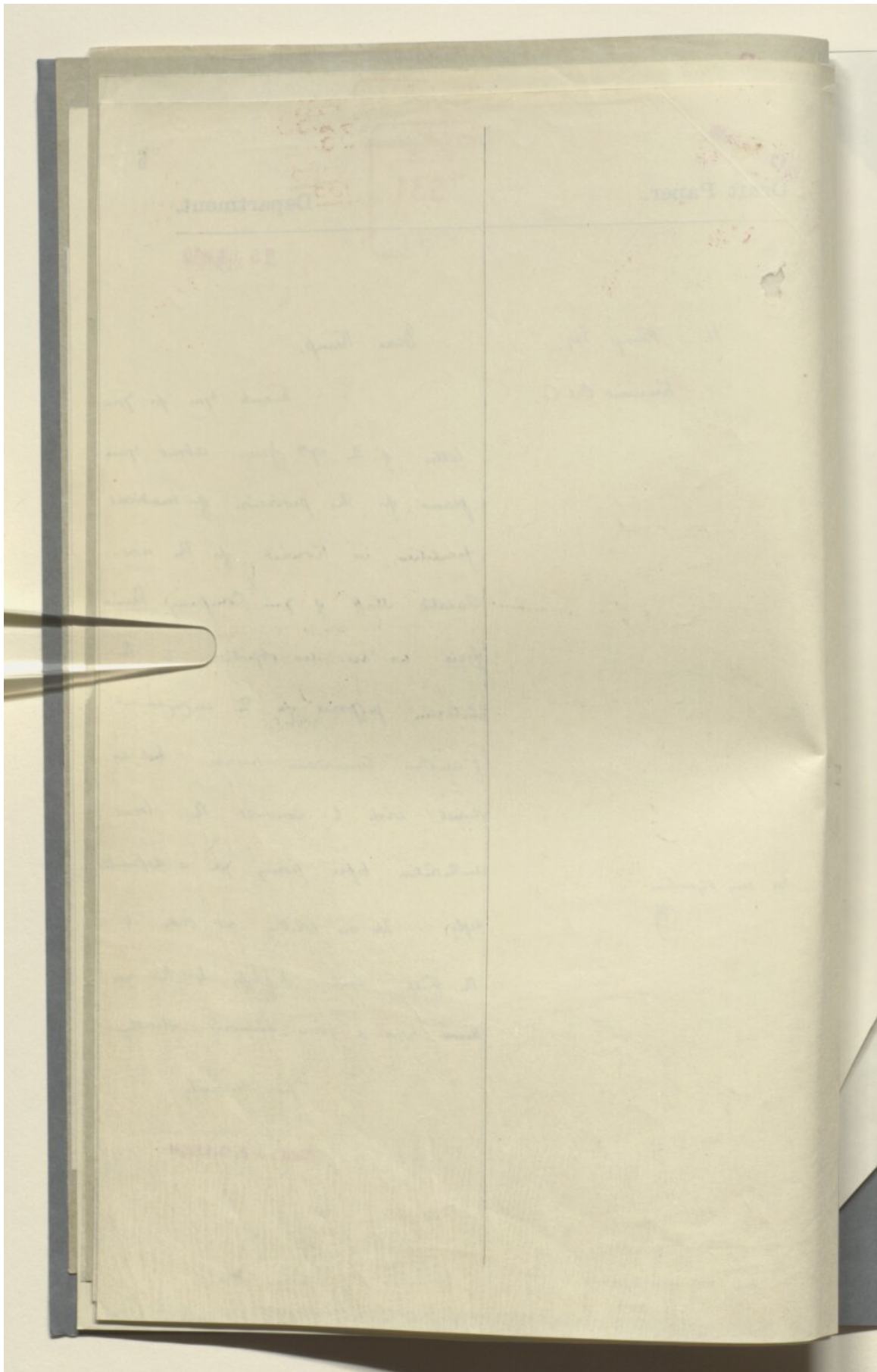
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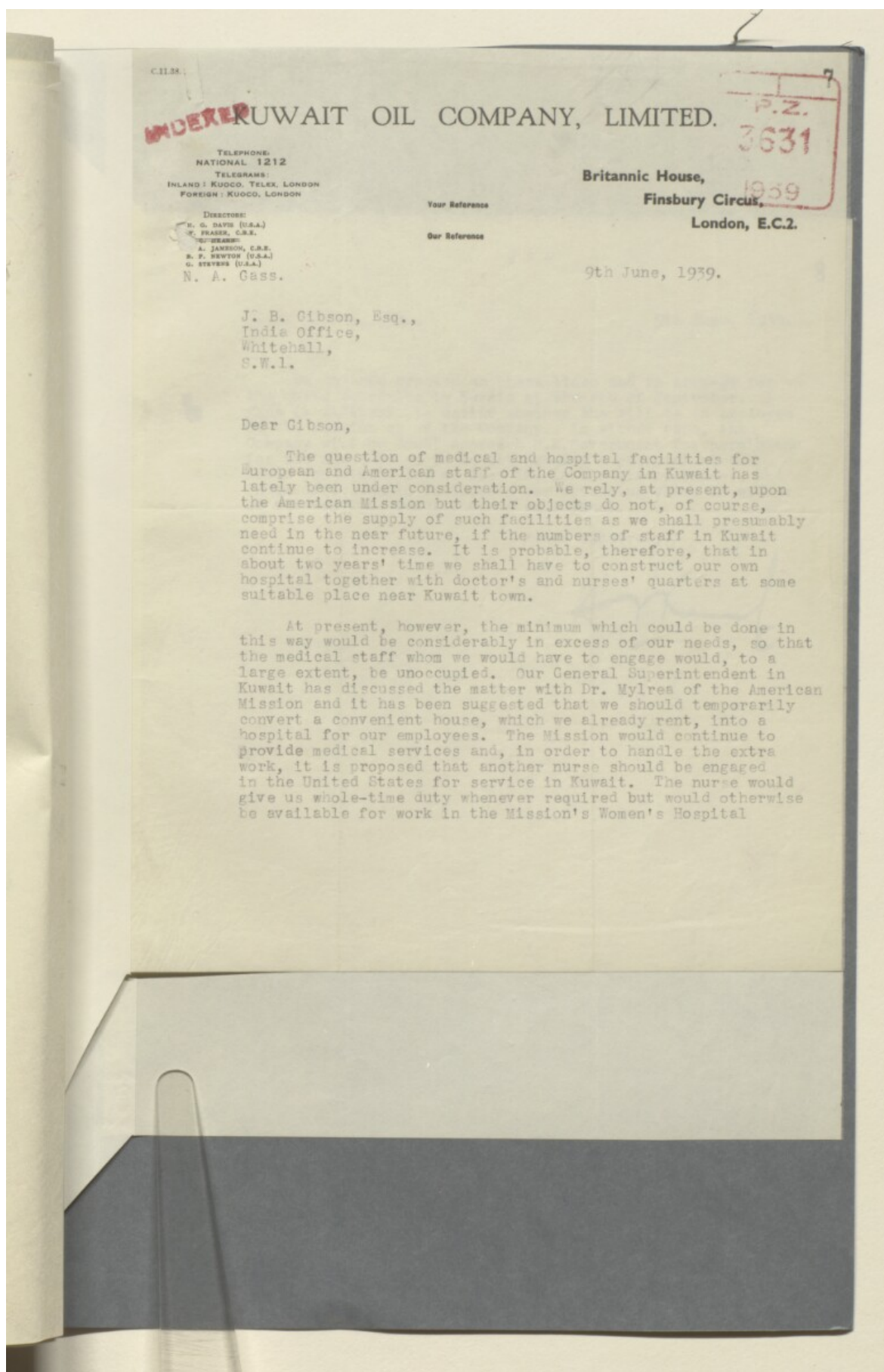
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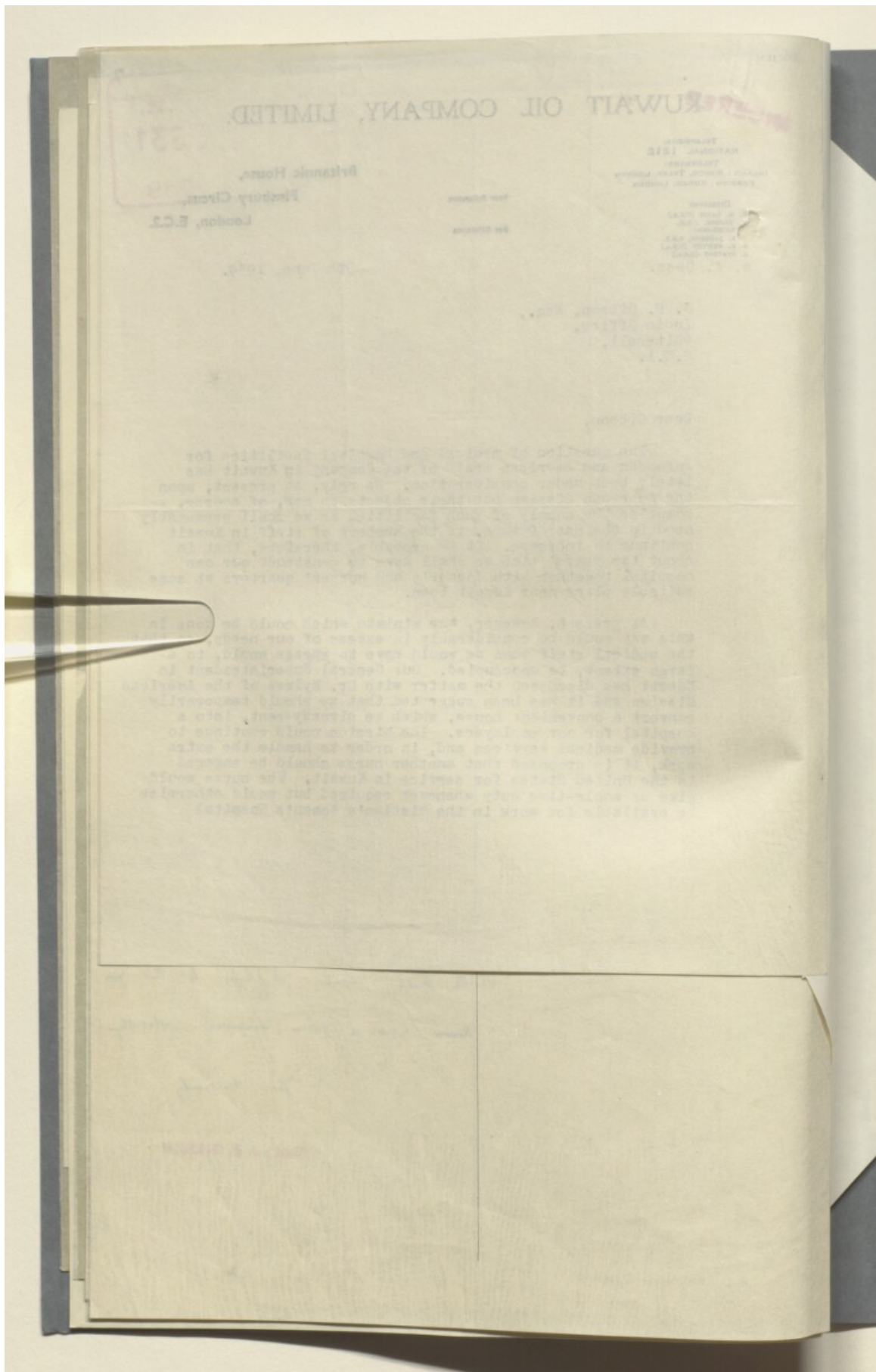
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J. B. Gibson, Esq.,

9th June, 1939.

We hope to proceed on these lines and to arrange for the nurse to arrive in Kuwait at the end of September. I find it difficult to decide whether she will be an employee of the Mission or of the Company. In either case, the Company will no doubt approach H.M. Government for permission for the nurse to go to Kuwait and for a passport visa. Would you kindly let me know if, in the circumstances, the India Office would facilitate our obtaining these in either of the possible conditions of employment.

Yours sincerely,

